

Fact Sheet

Governor's S.A.F.E. Communities Program Federal & Other Grants

Office of Kansas Governor Kathleen Sebelius

Federal Victims of Crime Act Victim Assistance Grant October 1, 2004—September 30, 2005

The Federal Victims of Crime Act Victim Assistance Grant (VOCA) provides direct services to crime victims to respond to their emotional and physical needs; assist primary and secondary crime victims in stabilizing their lives after a victimization; assist victims in understanding and participating in the criminal justice system; and provide crime victims with a measure of safety. Priority is given to sexual assault, domestic violence, child abuse and underserved victims. The U.S. Department of Justice, Office for Victims of Crime provides funding for this grant.

In FY 2005, 50 grant projects received a total of \$4,326,633.

In 2005, VOCA-funded grant projects provided services to 36,097 victims of child physical and sexual abuse, DUI/DWI crashes, domestic violence, adult sexual assault, elder abuse, adults molested as children, homicide survivors, robbery, assault and aggravated battery/criminal threat. The projects provided 127,242 services which include assistance in filing protection from abuse orders, sexual assault exams and interviews, transportation, community outreach, crisis counseling, follow-up support, group treatment and support, shelter, criminal justice support and advocacy, emergency legal advocacy, assistance in filing compensation, and information and referrals.

Below is data on victims served and the services provided by VOCA funded grant projects in FY 2005.

Number of Victims Served	Men	Women	Children	Total Served
Child Physical Abuse	18	46	1,033	1,097
Child Sexual Abuse	158	574	2,217	2,949
DUI/DWI Crashes	382	371	122	875
Domestic Violence	1,330	15,419	3,892	20,641
Adult Sexual Assault	206	2,376	93	2,675
Elder Abuse	26	83	0	109
Adults Molested as Children	23	254	0	277
Survivors of Homicide Victims	294	519	45	858
Robbery	2,478	1,552	76	4,106
Assault	371	395	192	958
Aggravated Battery/Criminal Threat	688	619	245	1,552
Total	5,974	22,208	7,915	36,097

Victims Served Other Categories	
Stalking	19
Burglary/Theft	639
Criminal Damage to Property	113
Arson	2
Phone Harassment	6
Kidnapping	4
Runaway	3
Secondary Victims	1
Other	1412

Age of Victims	Female	Male
0-12	2,580	1,906
13-17	1,975	786
18-25	7,014	1,611
26-40	10,022	2,789
41-60	5,094	1,716
61+	708	401
Unknown	306	462

Victims Race	Men	Women	Children
Alaskan Native	0	4	1
Asian	75	181	66
African American	1,170	4,100	1,577
Caucasian	4,439	15,522	4,258
Hispanic/Latino	885	2,684	1,318
Native American	38	274	110
Pacific Islander	4	28	28
Other	164	391	572
Unknown	48	116	244

Services Provided	Men	Women	Children	Total Served
Crisis Counseling	1,169	13,507	3,155	17,831
Follow-Up	3,312	10,345	1,549	15,206
Therapy	51	1,394	622	2,067
Group Treatment/Support	71	3,173	1,532	4,776
Shelter/Safehouse	88	1,935	2,175	4,198
Information/Referral	2,185	10,427	2,100	14,712
Criminal Justice Support/Advocacy	5,520	9,631	1,469	16,620
Emergency Financial Assistance	49	1,382	349	1,780
Emergency Legal Advocacy	173	1,813	581	2,567
Assistance in Filing Compensation	780	3,610	567	4,957
Personal Advocacy	1,982	11,884	2,465	16,331
Telephone Contact Information and Referral	2,220	15,461	1,383	19,064
PFA's	0	0	0	0
Parenting	0	61	26	87
Child Care	0	0	108	108
Food/Clothing	0	1	0	1
Sexual Assault Exams/Interviews	9	270	430	709
Information/Referral Mailings	101	88	0	189
Transportation	2	556	247	805
Community Outreach	4	75	0	79
Other	1,272	2,915	1,074	5,261

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